

House Resolution No. 4402

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives feel it is altogether fitting and proper to pause from time to time to recognize individuals and organizations that have contributed to the welfare of this great state and its citizens; and

Whereas, the members now pause to recognize Grace Helms, of Crocker, Missouri, who will observe her one hundredth birthday with a celebration to be held at the Crocker Senior Center on Saturday, August 11, 2007; and

Whereas, Grace McKinnon Helms was born on August 9, 1907, the treasured daughter of Henry and Ellie McKinnon, in Crocker; and

Whereas, Grace Helms married Arthur Clarence Helms, and together they had eight children, Alfreda Routh, Veda Holyfield, Louise Anderson, Joseph Helms, Arthur Helms, Albert Helms, David Helms, and Mary Ann Gelven; and

Whereas, Grace Helms is the proud grandmother of twenty-three children, great-grandmother of forty-two children, and great-great-grandmother twenty-six children; and

Whereas, Grace Helms is a devoted member of the Assembly of God, a Sunday School teacher, pianist, quilter, and accomplished and admired gardener:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to extend our sincerest congratulations to Grace Helms on the auspicious occasion of her one hundredth birthday and to wish her many more happy years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Grace Helms, of Crocker, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative David Day
District No. 148

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 4402, adopted August 8, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker